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W. J. SELICK & SON--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

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## W. J. SELICK & SON'S

### ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

Good yard wide unbleached Cotton, 5c.; worth 6½c.  
Good yard wide bleached Cotton at 6½c.; worth 8c.  
Best Stevens Crash, extra wide, at 10c. and 12½c.; worth 12½c. and 15c. respectively.  
Turkey Red Damask Table Cloth, warranted fast color, at 25c.  
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Good Gingham from 6½c. upwards.  
Our best French Gingham at 12½c.  
All our domestic Satines at 12½c.  
French Satines, both in colors and plain black, 36 to 40 inches wide, from 19c. to 35c., very cheap.  
Outing, Teazle and Gypsy cloths at 12½c.  
Dress Goods, all colors, at 12½c.  
Henriettas, all colors, at 25c., 36 inches wide.  
Brilliantines, black and colors, all prices.  
Henriettas, black and colors, all prices.  
Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, 10c. and up.  
Ladies' extra good colored ribbed Hose, split feet, at 15c.; worth 25c.  
A good Bed Spread for 50c.  
Good Corsets at 49c. and 69c.  
Big line of Towels from 8c. up.  
Big job in Suspenders at 19c. and 24c.  
Men's heavy Socks 3 pairs for 25c.  
Men's Striped Balbriggan Socks, 3 pairs for 50c.  
Gents' Black Teck Scarfs at 25c.  
In addition to our already large stock of Carpets, we have just added ten pieces of the Lowell extra super Ingrains bought at a bargain.

## W. J. SELICK & SON.

BILSBORROW-HARDWARE.

## FRED. BILSBORROW

Would call the especial attention of all to the fact that he carries the Finest Line of

## HEATING \* STOVES

Ever Brought to this Market.

Our Stock is, as usual, full of SHELF and HEAVY HARDWARE in all its details.

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N. B.--We handle the ONLY GENUINE ROUND OAK STOVE in this market. Fred. Bilsborrow.

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## J. C. WARNER,

Is prepared to furnish his customers with all kinds of

## Fresh, SALT,

AND

## Smok'd Meats

## HAM.

Bacon, Sausage and Fresh Fish.

Eggs, Butter and Lard

We pay Cash for Butter & Eggs.

Next door to Post Office,

J. C. WARNER.

## JAS. P. PREECE,

## Merchant Tailor

Main Street, Paw Paw.

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### BUSINESS NOTICES.

Heckert & Chandler,  
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

M. E. Whalen, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon. Office in Long well block. Office hours, 2 to 5 p. m., and 6 to 8 p. m. 1891y

Mills, Osborn & Goss,  
Lawyers.  
Office, Paw Paw; associate office, Kalamazoo, Mich. Mr. Goss will be in his office Monday afternoon and Tuesday of each week.  
A. J. MILLS,  
J. W. OSBORN,  
O. A. GOSS.  
1733-1f

Teachers' Examination.  
The following is the schedule of dates and places for examination during the ensuing school year. These dates will not be changed:  
Paw Paw, Thursday, March 6, 1890.  
Bloomington, Friday, April 25, 1890.  
Paw Paw, Thursday, August 7, 1890.  
G. W. COXNISH, Sec'y.

Millinery--Mrs. H. H. Odell.  
At the busy millinery store on Kalamazoo street, a large lot of new and elegant spring goods of all kinds. Agent for the famous Corticelli silks

Absolutely the best place to purchase Monuments is of I. A. Whitman, in Paw Paw. You are guaranteed a large saving on your purchase. No agents' fee. Fifty beautiful Monuments, in Marble and Granite, to select from. 1892-1y

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich. Office in Longwell Block. Special attention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Female Complaints--to all Chronic Diseases.

City Meat Market.  
Try the City market, first door east of Chappell's, where you will find everything new, neat and clean. Fresh, smoked, dried and salt meats; choice beef, pork, veal, lamb, hams, bacon, lard, corned beef, sausage, etc. Poultry, game, fish and oysters in season. The highest market price paid for fat cattle, sheep and hogs. Cash for hides and pelts.  
W. H. WILSON.  
1781f

The Oliver Wins!  
In the Field trial of Plows, May 15th, at the farm of Miles F. Beebe, between the Oliver and Imperial, the work, Draft and durability being considered, the Oliver wins as usual.  
CONNER & OSBORNE.  
1835f

For Sale or Rent.  
The house and lot formerly occupied by Jas. A. Leach, on the west side of the river. Inquire of  
JOHN I. BRECK.  
931f

The Willard House Barn.  
As a 10-cent hitch-in and sale stable. Don't leave your teams standing out in the "weather" any more.  
SAGE BRO'S.  
1804f

Paw Paw Savings Bank.  
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres.,  
E. A. CRANE Vice Pres., JOHN W. FREE, Cashier. Board of Directors,  
J. J. WOODMAN, GEO. E. BRECK,  
JOHN LEE, WILLIAM LYLE,  
JOHN W. FREE, W. R. SELICK,  
F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK,  
EDGAR A. CRANE. 1836y

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.  
Dental Parlors.

Painless extraction of teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas.  
Single extraction, twenty-five cents. Special attention given to the preservation of the natural teeth.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. 1832y

Go to Shaefer's studio for frames and easels. 71f

Bert P. Bryar.  
Agent for some of the oldest Fire Insurance Companies in America.  
Office over Avery's store. [61f]

Photography at Lawton.  
I have come to Lawton to stay and will offer a great inducement to all who want pictures, as follows: I will make my best cabinets in certain styles for \$2.00 per dozen and guarantee satisfaction. Place your orders for holiday pictures early as we are apt to have a good deal of dark weather at this time of year. Call and see my \$5.00 Bromides.  
I also have constantly on hand a complete line of Picture Frames.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
E. GILLIS,  
Lawton, Mich. 991f

Long Time Easy Payments.  
Seven per cent on sums of over \$3000. Must be improved farms worth twice the amount loaned.  
1749f CRANE & BRECK Attys.

You are cordially invited to inspect our Exclusive Patterns for Spring and Summer wear. H. F. WEIMER, Tailor.  
109 West Main St. Kalamazoo. 1827o1839.

Dyckman House Livery Barn.  
I take pleasure in announcing to my friends and the public that I have purchased from J. M. Longwell the stock, fixtures and good-will of the Dyckman House Livery and Feed Barns, including the 'Bus Line and Drays, and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. Careful and trustworthy ostlers always in attendance.  
861f FRANK CLANCY.

### THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.

ESTABLISHED 1885.  
Capital.....\$100,000  
Surplus and Undivided Profits. 12,000  
Additional Liability of Stockholders 100,000  
E. SMITH, E. F. PARKS,  
President. Cashier.  
A general banking business transacted.  
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W. R. Hawkins.  
Broker. Money loaned and collections made in all parts of Van Buren county. Remittances promptly made. Office opposite Dyckman House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1388ly

Horses Wanted.  
We will pay good prices for several half blood Cleveland Bays coming four years old and upward.  
CLEVELAND BAY HORSE CO.  
18181f Paw Paw Mich.

Insurance.  
Insure your property against loss by fire in the reliable companies represented by the undersigned. Losses will be promptly and equitably adjusted. Life, Fire and Accident policies issued. Office over Broughton's store.  
WM. KILLEFER.  
18291f

Bounties! Bounties!  
Under recent decisions of the supreme court all soldiers who enlisted after Feb. 5, 1864, in Michigan, who were not paid \$100 state bounty, are now entitled to that sum. Those who were entitled to this bounty and have since died leaving widows, such widows are entitled. If no widow or children, then the parents can receive it.  
C. E. Foote, of Kalamazoo, is now fully prepared to take applications for this bounty at his pension claim agency, Gates block, East Main street. Call and see him without delay. Those who first file their claims will be the first to receive their money. His fee is only \$5, payable only when claim is allowed. Those enlisting in the Eleventh Michigan cavalry, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Michigan volunteers, come under this decision as well as those enlisting as recruits in regiments already in the field. 1839o1836

New Insurance Agency.  
H. A. Chapin, Notary Public and Insurance Agent, represents some of the best companies doing business in this state. Among them are the Commercial Union and Sun Fire, the Michigan Mutual Life, and Travelers' Accident. These companies have an enviable record for prompt and equitable adjustment of losses.  
Office in the Court House. 1835f

For Sale, Rent, or Exchange.  
An acre of ground with good house and barn in Paw Paw. For particulars call at this office. [1835f]

Something New.  
One hundred Stamp Photos for one dollar, all ready gummed on the back to stick on letter heads, bill heads, watch dials or cases, books, hats, and etc. Call and see specimens of bromides, crayons, etc., etc. Workmanship, first class. Satisfaction guaranteed. 5,000 feet of moulding to select from for frames.  
1800 HENRY SHAEFER.

ANTWERP, MICH., May 19, 1890.  
MESSRS. CONNER & OSBORNE:  
Gentlemen:--I have thoroughly tried the "Oliver" and "Imperial" Plows, and pronounce the "Oliver" the best Plow I ever used.  
351f MILES BEEBE

### Local Department.

A. T. Hall was at Kalamazoo Monday.

Census Enumerators will begin their work next Monday.

A. C. Glidden spent last Sunday with friends in Cassopolis.

Miss Kittie Fitch visited friends in Mattawan over Sunday.

Mrs. T. B. Irwin has returned from her long visit in the East.

Dr. M. E. Whalen has taken new quarters in the Longwell block.

Mrs. E. A. Blackman, of Hillsdale, is visiting in this village for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Granger were visiting in South Haven over Sunday.

Superintendent Chapin made an official visit to South Haven, last Thursday.

Dr. J. D. Hamilton now occupies the office rooms recently vacated by Dr. Whalen.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Murdoch on Saturday of this week at 2:30 p. m.

Prof. Newkirk, Supt. of the State School at Coldwater, was in Paw Paw last week.

J. E. Chandler is in Keeler township taking testimony as Circuit Court Commissioner.

Rev. Henry Harvey will deliver the Memorial day address at Wayland, Allegan County.

Miss Clara Chappell is again at home after a stay of several months among friends in California.

Eugene Cooley has been on the sick list for a few days. La grippe sticketh closer than a brother.

Misses Minnie Clapp and Eva Gibbs, of Oshtemo, were guests of Mrs. Eaton Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. E. Tyler exhibited a hen's egg at this office the other day which measured 6x8½ inches and weighed 5 ounces.

Rev. Taft will attend the Lenawee County Baptist Association next week, leaving on Monday for that purpose.

We are pained to announce the death of our East Arlington correspondent, Mrs. Catherine Delong, which occurred on Sunday last.

The ball game advertised for to-day is off, through a misunderstanding in the correspondence. It will probably be played next week.

An error was made in announcing the death of Mrs. Delong, last week. It should have read Mrs. J. L. Delong, not Wm. Delong, as printed.

Dr. Maynard will be away the first week in June. Those in need of his services will find him at his office during the remainder of this week.

Otto Buechner, of Kalamazoo, made a pleasant call at this office on Monday. He is enjoying a few days "outing" with friends at Lawton and Lake Cora.

The grave of Capt. T. W. Melchor is selected as the one over which the peculiar rites of the Grand Army will be observed on Memorial Day this year.

J. E. Chandler and Harry McNeil brought in a string of 63 perch and blue gill as a result of their winning ways at Pugsley's Lake, last Thursday.

Meetings are continuing at the M. E. church this week. A number of the neighboring ministers are assisting in the services. A good interest is manifested.

Large assortment of fancy flannel shirts, hats, caps, handkerchiefs, hosiery, suspenders, clothing, boots and shoes for men and boys at W. J. Selick & Son's.

Fresh strawberries were on sale in town last week. The price asked for them was so high, however, that we do not know whether they were very sweet or not.

The officers of the Van Buren County Battalion have decided to hold the next Reunion on August 21st, 22d and 23d. Bangor will probably be selected as the place of meeting.

Judge Heckert received an invitation to address the Almena "Old Folks," at their annual picnic, which occurs on Wednesday, June 11, at the residence of Mrs. E. T. Reed.

Colum. Engle caught a couple of speckled trout in the west branch of the Paw Paw last Wednesday, the largest of which weighed 2½ lbs. They were beauties, and no mistake.

M. Hixon, the live Gobleville merchant, calls attention in his adv. on the 5th page of this issue, to his new carpet exhibit. The machine is very ingeniously constructed and will repay an inspection.

Dr. Maynard sent away at one time last week twenty seven letters in reply to applications for the position of teacher in our High School. This shows that the profession is somewhat crowded.

A Floral programme has been arranged for Friday evening at Grange Hall, and an unusually good time is anticipated. Every good granger is expected to wear some favorite flower instead of the usual hay-seed.

Mr. D. Davis, aged about 80 years, father of Geo. W. Davis, of Waverly, was found dead in bed at the house of his son last Thursday morning. On Tuesday of last week a brother was buried in Kalamazoo county.

Messrs. Ihling & Morrill are making extensive preparations for a grand celebration at Lake Cora, July 4th. Buck & Geer's orchestra, of Dowagiac, has been secured, and everything is being done to induce a large attendance.

Will Blaisdell and Chris. Staley, both substantial farmers of Arlington, were in town last Saturday looking over the many fine stallions owned here, with a view to breeding. The result of the investigation was the selection of Winewood.

Broadhead Post G. A. R. will gladly receive contributions of flowers for Memorial Day. Such favors may be left at Hulbert's store Thursday evening or Friday morning. If they are tied up in reasonable sized bouquets, all the better.

If the weather is favorable, the public speaking on Friday next (Memorial Day) will be held in the court house yard, and Commander Bullard requests all comrades who can spare the time to meet him in the yard on the morning of that day and assist in preparing the grounds.

We publish elsewhere the programme prepared for the entertainment of those who attend the Pioneers' Reunion at Hartford, one week from to-day. Arrangements have been made for a large crowd, and a good old-fashioned time is expected.

Barns containing a large quantity of hay and grain belonging to Isaac Monroe, of Lawrence, were burned last Friday afternoon. The origin of the fire is not definitely known. The property was well insured, principally in the Van Buren County Mutual.

Commencing on Tuesday next at two o'clock p. m. and continuing until Thursday evening, the Disciples of Christ embraced in the second Missionary district of this state meet in convention at Bloomington. A splendid programme has been prepared and a large attendance is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Stevens were in Paw Paw, Monday, having recently returned from their stay of three years in Mexico and California. They express themselves as greatly pleased with the western country and have some expectation of making their permanent home there, although they may locate either in Paw Paw or Kalamazoo.

Miss Flossie Smith, of Benton Harbor, is visiting at Henry Moon's.

Miss Grace McKoyes, of Lawton, was the guest of Miss Marie Cooper, Saturday and Sunday.

B. F. Warner returned Monday from Idaho. He has purchased three car loads of horses (75) which he expects will reach here about June 18th.

The officers and members of Broadhead post No. 31, G. A. R., desire to make public expression of thanks to Mrs. Anna Barton for her beautiful tribute to the memory of their fallen comrades, in her address before the post and the public on Memorial Sunday, at the M. E. church.

Mr. G. E. Chappell has presented his daughter Claire a fine Knahe piano, purchased through F. J. Schwankovsky, the Michigan state agent, at Detroit. It is claimed for this instrument that it is "the standard of excellence of the world," and its repute among musicians would seem to verify the claim.

The Rich & Downey show, which exhibited in Paw Paw last week, was first class in every particular. Its gentlemanly management, thoroughly competent performers and, in every respect, clean and satisfactory appointments ought to win favor wherever they go and insure a remunerative season.

A number of those who have made application to the State for the \$100 bounty, due certain soldiers under the recent decision of the Supreme Court, find that the records show their receipts for the money. The boys are sure that they never received it and are wondering how their signatures were obtained.

Rev. W. H. Van Antwerp, D. D., of Charlotte, conducted services at St. Mark's church in this village Sunday, both in the morning and evening, and in the afternoon administered the rite of baptism. The service, always impressive, was greatly heightened in effect by the excellent music rendered by some of our very best local talent. The attendance was not as large as would have been the case on any other than Memorial day, but those present enjoyed a fine sermon.

The Methodist church was crowded to its utmost capacity on Sunday morning to listen to the Memorial day address of Mrs. Anna Barton, and, while the decorations were not elaborate, the flags and flowers gave a very pleasing appearance to it, and the address was of an unusually interesting character. The veterans to the number of about fifty, under the lead of Commander Bullard, formed at the hall and marched to the church where they were seated in a body. The occasion will be long and pleasantly remembered by all who were fortunate enough to be present.

A very fine audience greeted Rev. H. A. Pallister at the Disciple church on Sunday evening last. Announcement had been made that the Rev. gentleman would speak upon the subject: "The Hero of the War." Seats had been reserved for Grand Army men and they were out in goodly numbers. The address was an exceedingly interesting one giving the salient points in the history of Gen. Grant, from which the speaker drew some valuable lessons. The service closed with a recitation of "Somebody's Hero" by little Miss Retic Chapman, who acquitted herself with much credit.

Mr. Cal LaGrave, accompanied by his wife and son, and a niece, Mrs. Frank Warren, came from Chicago last Saturday with the remains of his mother, Mrs. Edmund LaGrave, who died in that city on Thursday. Mrs. LaGrave was an old-time resident of this village having settled here with her husband in 1828, at which time there were but sixteen families here, and continued to reside here until 1861 when they moved onto the farm now owned and occupied by Mr. Jordan, south of the village. The funeral services were held at the First Baptist church, of which she was one of the original founders, none of whom are now living. Rev. Taft officiating. Interment at Prospect Hill cemetery.

Deputy Sheriff Marsh. Merwin, of Cass county, passed through here last Saturday with a stolen team which he was returning to its owner in Newaygo county. It seems that a man named James Loehr, of Newaygo, had committed a criminal assault on a 12-years-old girl in that county, and, fearing arrest, had stolen the team from his mother-in-law and decamped. Knowing that Loehr had relatives living in Cass and Berrien counties, Sheriff Reynolds, of Newaygo, put the Cass county officials on the watch, and Merwin secured the team early last week where Loehr had left it with a friend near Eau Claire, and then telegraphed Sheriff Reynolds to come on and assist in "rounding up" the man. The two officers then removed the team to Arthur Haydon's barn, in Hamilton, and then put up a job with some of Loehr's acquaintances to decoy him to Haydon's farm for the team, but where he ran into the arms of the officers. Sheriff Reynolds took his man to Newaygo and lodged him in jail on Thursday. The job, taken as a whole, reflects credit on the sagacity and discretion of the two officers named.

Following is the list of the enumerators designated by Supervisor Don Henderson to take the tenth decennial census in Van Buren County:

Almena township--W. H. Ogden.  
Antwerp township--George C. Lawton.  
Arlington township--Albert W. Wilcox.  
Bangor township--L. S. Russell.  
Bloomington township--John Markle.  
Columbia township--David Anderson.  
Concord township--E. A. Root.  
Dexter township--M. O. Rowland.  
Geneva township--O. S. Hoag.  
Hartford township--Henry Spaulding.  
Hamilton township--William Horton.  
Keeler township--Albert O. Burcombe.  
Lawrence township--Henry A. Wells.  
Paw Paw village--M. U. Richardson.  
Paw Paw township--Henry B. Wilson.  
Pine Grove township--Allen Odell.  
Porter township--James W. Burlington.  
South Haven township--Charles Delamare.  
Waverly township--G. L. Rich.